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Marianne Evans Returns to CBW Board

With the approval of the CBW Board of Directors, President Joan Romeo has appointed Marianne Evans to 2nd Vice President. Evans will assume the unexpired term of Barbara Metzinger who was promoted to 1st Vice President when Romeo was elected as President. Evans previously served a two-year term as Director for CBW in 2006-07.

Evans, a California native was born in Culver City and grew up in Concord. She graduated from Clayton Valley High School in 1972 and was the first female Drum Major in the history the school for their award winning marching band. She also played clarinet in the orchestra and jazz band and played on the tennis team.

Evans' dad took her bowling at Clayton Valley Lanes since elementary school



Marianne Evans returns to CBW Board of Directors

and her Mom was the official scorekeeper. In 1982 she joined a bowling league in Ventura County and has been a member ever since. Marianne was elected as a Director to the Ventura County Women's Bowling Association in 1992 then moved up to 3rd Vice President and BVL Chairman the

next year. In 1998 Evans was elected President; an office she still holds.

In 2000 Evans was elected to the CWBA Board of Directors and held that position until the CWBA merged with the California State Bowling Association. She served as an Assistant Sergeant-At-Arms for both the former Women's International Bowling Congress and California Women's Bowling Association, participating in various committees for both organizations.

She has one son, Bill, wife Cathy and two grandchildren Chandy, age 14 and Billy, age 6. Marianne has been employed by Hoffman Brown Company, an Insurance Agency, where she manages the Claims Department and coordinates the company charity events.

CBW welcomes this great gal back to our Board.

"Camp Bakes" Founder, Mark Baker, Inked for 2011 Media and Publicity Luncheon

The CBW Luncheon committee is pleased to announce Mark Baker as our Keynote speaker for the 2011 Media and Publicity Luncheon in June in Riverside, Calif. Baker has been active in the sport of bowling for more than 30 years, many of those as a top-level competitor.

Since his professional bowling career came to an end, Mark has dedicated himself to the coaching and education side of the sport and is considered as, arguably, one of the top instructors in the United States.

Camp Bakes was conceived by Mark Baker with the goal to create a fun, interactive bowling camp for higher average bowlers looking to take their games to the next level. He felt that if he could spend 3-4 days with a small group of bowlers in a productive environment, using BowlersMap (digital motion analysis software), creating an informative classroom setting, and bringing in the right mix of coaches, he could really make a difference.



Mark Baker, PBA Titlist and Teaching Pro

As a PBA touring professional, Mark enjoyed a very successful career, earning 4 National Tour Titles, along with a number of "top-five" telecasts, establishing himself as one of the premier players on the PBA National Tour. His dedication and hard work not only earned him a spot as one of the tour's best, but also rewarded him with one of the PBA's most prestigious honors – the "George Young High Average Award" for the 1985 Season.

Staying connected to people in the bowling industry led Mark along a new path and he began giving lessons. As a dedicated teacher AND student of the sport of bowling, Mark's passion for coaching and his dedication to the sport of bowling will keep him in the game for years to come as one of its top instructors.

Look for more information on the Media and Publicity Luncheon, including a reservation form, on the CBW website and in the April edition of the InfoLink.

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President's Perspective

Greetings and Salutations,

The California Bowling Writers interim Board of Directors meeting held at the Eldorado Hotel Casino in Reno, during mid November, may now be history but won't easily be forgotten thanks to the hospitality of our host, Director of Sales, John McGinnes. He did all he could to make the weekend memorable.

I think we might say the same about my first meeting as President. While not without a few stumbles, in general I think all will agree it was most productive. Read on and you will see the results of our endeavors including some exciting changes planned for 2011.

As we look back on 2010, I would be remiss if I didn't thank the bowling community for their generosity in contributing to the CBW charities. Once again you've helped us reach our goals with BVL and the annual Valentines Day Phone Card Drive for our troops.

And for something new, we've added **50 Years of Women's Pro** Bowling to our list of charitable endeavors. The new exhibit planned to open during Bowl Expo, 2011 will celebrate the contributions of the greatest women bowlers in the world and is currently accepting tax deductible donations. Send to the International Bowling Museum and Hall of Fame in Arlington, Texas.



**CBW President
Joan Romeo**

The Power of Print

I read recently in **Rolling Stone** that nine out of ten American adults choose to spend time reading magazines even though the same content is often available online. Interesting fact; the top 25 magazines continue to reach a wider audience than the top 25 prime-time TV shows. And despite the escalating war for consumer eyeballs, readers actually spend an average of 43 minutes per issue.

Although a newsletter by definition is the shortened version of a magazine and as such we describe it as an informal periodical presenting specialized information to a limited audience, a particular organization or group with common interests, we believe we can stretch this information and have it apply to our readers of the InfoLink.

So get comfortable, curl up and enjoy the rest of this newsletter. We aim to please and with the guidance and creativity of our publisher, Jackie Wyckoff, we believe we deliver.

BWAA Now Accepting Applications for Pezzano Scholarship

Applications are now being accepted for the Bowling Writers' Association of America's Chuck Pezzano Scholarship awarded annually to worthy recipients who are high school seniors, vocational school seniors or current college students. The award is named in honor of BWAA, United States Bowling Congress and Professional Bowlers Association Hall of Fame journalist Chuck Pezzano of Clifton, N.J.

To be eligible, applicants must meet the following requirements: Maintain a minimum 2.5/4.0 GPA or equivalent; Involvement in the field of communications; Perform community service; Participate in the sport of bowling; Include at least one reference letter; Write a short essay (350 words); Provide school transcript.

To apply, log on to the BWAA web site at BowlingWriters.com, click on Scholarships and download the application. Complete the form and return it, including supporting documents, postmarked no later than June 1, 2011. For more information contact Joan Romeo at romeotmt@pacbell.net.

Message from CUSBC President Linda Johnson

Upon being elected President of the CUSBC one of my goals is better communication with the membership and local associations.

The following is an update regarding the CUSBC board of directors; at the board meeting on October 10 the following appointments were approved: Rosie Parker was appointed to 1st Vice President, and Lynn Graves appointed to Sergeant at Arms. The following were appointed as directors: Sandi Thompson - Pleasanton, Dennis Ganduglia - Rohnert Park, Mike Hillman - Fremont and Larry Worrall - Long Beach.

Now for the change in the tournament directors; to begin, when the three organizations agreed to merge, a part of the agreement was to retain the directors for two years. It turned into more like 5 years and because of the financial impact it was time to bite the bullet and make some changes. With that, all three tournament directors were released and Larry Peppers CUSBC Association Manager employed Melissa Ade as Adult Tournament director for the Open and Women's Championship and Lynn Matsubara will be Youth Tournament director for Pepsi and Youth Championships.

Speaking of the championship tournaments; the CUSBC

Women's events are being hosted by Ventura USBC WBA and Open events are scheduled for Central CA USBC in Fresno. The Youth tournament will be in Oroville/Yuba City. Entries are available so check with your bowling centers, local associations and the state website at calusbc.com.

The California BVL Singles has a new title. It is now the California USBC Helen Duval Veterans Tournament. We encourage all local associations to hold BVL qualifying tournaments and send your winners to the roll-off being held in Citrus Heights at Fireside Lanes which is within the Greater Sacramento USBC. The tournament date is March 26, 2011 with two squads Noon and 3:30. This is a certified event so make sure the bowlers your associations send have a 2010-2011 USBC membership.

High on our list are plans to attend and visit as many local association meetings and events as possible. We have already paid a visit to the Southern L.A. County USBC and both Nor Cal and Southern CA Proprietors annual meetings. More visits have been scheduled.

Until next time, let's keep the ball rolling because the "Best Bowlers come from California".

How to "Write it Right"

- ◆ **Writers Leeway:** If you can understand what the sentence means – it's OK.
- ◆ **Your audience:** Know who your audience is – write for and to them.
- ◆ **Font:** Use Times New Roman font when submitting articles. It's universal, sort of like English is the universal language of pilots.
- ◆ **Paragraphs:** As a general rule, paragraphs should ideally be two or three sentences (but occasionally only one, or four.) One paragraph – one thought. One of the most popular methods of speed readers is to read only the first sentence of each paragraph. That sentence established the thought, and the next one or two support the thought. If an article or novel is well written, you can get 90% of it by reading only the first sentence of each paragraph.
- ◆ **Reading your story:** What makes it interesting? A strong lead and sticking to the short sentences and paragraphs can draw your reader through your story. Save an interesting ending.

Scott Norton Wins First PBA Title

California attorney Scott Norton, of Costa Mesa, held court for the first time as a full-time Lumber Liquidators PBA Tour competitor in the title match of the Chameleon Championship at South Point Bowling Center, and he won his case.

Former California USBC (CWBA) Star of Tomorrow and son of Hall of Famer Virginia Norton, he learned the physical game under his mother's wing. "It's pretty amazing. I've worked a long time for this," Norton beamed. "It's an unbelievable, crazy feeling. I was unconscious for a lot of that match."

Norton, who passed his California bar exam just a year earlier, delivered a powerful opening statement in his first PBA Tour television appearance, starting the title match with eight strikes, easily defeating Sean Rash of Wichita, Kan., 256-181. Rash had won three consecutive matches to reach the championship contest.

Outlets for Story & Article Publication

The **InfoLink** encourages and will accept stories of 200-500 words, relating to bowling. Articles should be focused on individual accomplishments, special events, community involvement, prose, etc. Because we are focusing on special articles by our writers, reporting of scores or association related events will not be accepted. Send your stories to: Jackie Wyckoff, PO Box 50213, Palo Alto, CA 94303 or email (preferred) to: JWyckoff@BowlingWriters.com

We have also included for your convenience, a list of other California bowling publications who would accept stories and articles for publication:

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By Phyl Knoll

Queens and Masters Tournaments Discontinued

Everyone has witnessed the decline of bowling nationwide, with every association, league and tournament being affected, some more than others. California USBC Association events have been a victim to this decline in all of the events we host. The events hit the hardest were the singles scratch events; the Queens, Masters and Youth State Scratch. The CUSBC has determined that it cannot continue to financially back these two events and they currently are not self sufficient enough to stand on their own. The Board decided to put these two events on hold for now – with high hopes to bring them back very soon.

The Masters event began in 1961 and the Queens event started in 1966. In September 2009, in a last ditch effort to keep the events alive, the California USBC Association (CUSBC) board voted to back the two events and guarantee funds totaling \$47,000 (\$30,000 for the Masters and \$17,000 for the Queens). The turnout was still not acceptable, with a variety of reasons given for not attending (economy, family and work obligations, etc.).

“And the Beat Goes On”... We are going to start a new scratch event, open to men, women and youth, called the “California Scratch Classic” in an effort to interest all of the available high average bowlers in one tournament. The tournament will offer local qualifying on one weekend, two locations – north and south – and the finals will be held the following weekend, in the central part of the state. We will roll this new tournament out next fall, September 10-11, 2011 for Qualifying and September 17-18, 2011 for the Finals. You will have four opportunities to qualify in six game blocks and we are hoping to have enough participation to award \$40,000 in prize money to all 48 places that qualify to the finals. We will have more information on this event in January, please check www.calusbc.com for additional information.

Prince & Princess Tournament Results

West Lane Bowl in Stockton played host to our Annual Prince and Princess Tournaments the weekend of October 22-24. After two days of tough competition by 140 women and 24 men, it boiled down to a close finish between the top scoring candidates in both categories. Linda Hackett, Alameda County posted 1,406 total pins and was crowned Princess while William Yray, also from Alameda County, finished with 1,379 total pins, capturing the Prince title.

In 2011 we will take a trip down South where the Prince & Princess tournament will be hosted by Vista Entertainment Center, in Vista on October 22-23. The Entry Form is cur-

rently on our website and for additional information; your inquiries should be directed to Tournament Chairman, Rosie Parker's email: rap24682@verizon.net or phone (626) 482-0624.

Women's Championships

The Sportsman Tournament Club members have long been faithful supporters of the CAUSBC annual tournaments with many having more than once been crowned a champion. Club member Cora Davis and partner Felecia Tripp, who, by the way, is no stranger to the “Winner's Circle”, entered the Doubles Event of the Women's Championship Tournament with their, as always, competitive talent and desire for a title. Recording a 1,228 scratch series, the duo captured A-Division and shared \$450 in prize money. These two also cashed in the Team Event.

Cora, who booked 167, revealed to me that she has only been bowling for the past six years and proudly has recorded a 600 series. Felecia, who bowled the youth league at Gardena Bowl some 30 years ago currently carries a 206 average and has five 300 games and a high series of 814. Both ladies are members of the South L.A. County Association.

Bowlers to Veterans Link

The Bowlers to Veterans Link Headquarters has just released facts and figures relating to the 2009-2010 fund raising season representing donations submitted by the 49 states listed. While Minneapolis USBC, a long-standing supporter of the BVL, managed to move into the top spot for Local Associations with a contribution of \$19,468.89, seventeen California associations were proudly recognized for submitting donations over \$2,000.00. In a strong second was CA Citrus Belt USBC with their donation of \$15,560.00 Tying for third place with Greater Seattle, WA was CA Orange County USBC, both donating \$11,000.00. Also making the list: Gr. Sacramento Area USBC \$7,388.59; San Diego USBC \$6,841.64; Ventura County USBC WBA \$6,400.00; San Gabriel Valley USBC \$5,000.00; North Los Angeles Co. USBC \$4,894.00; Gold Country USBC \$4,586.25; Southern LA County USBC \$4,395.00; Modesto USBC \$4,000.00; Golden Empire USBC \$3583.00; Napa Sonoma USBC \$3500.00; Oroville USBC \$3000.00; Central Coast USBC \$2,601.00; Placer USBC WBA \$2,500.00; Gateway USBC \$2,220.00; San Francisco USBC \$2,039.00. Again, the perennial state leader was California with our total donation of \$122,795.72.

Thanks for all of the hours spent, day and night, by each association in an attempt to reach out to each league bowler. However, they could not be as successful as they are without the wonderful cooperation of their Bowling Center Proprietors/Managers who allow them to interact with their customers.

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This—N—That From Around the State...

***Follow the progress of the **50 Years of Women's Pro Bowling** on Facebook. Receive regular updates on fund raising totals, look at all the great photos, and read what friends and fans of Women's Pro Bowling have to say about their experiences with the greatest women bowlers in the world.

*** California Hall of Famer and CBW Member Paula Vidar has joined the staff of the Trevi Entertainment Center, as their Tournament & Special Events Manager. "I'm excited to have the opportunity to enhance visibility and showcase the center by hosting bowling tournaments, clinics and charity events" said Vidar.

*** After many delays, the new North County Tavern & Bowl represents a return to bowling in Escondido, Calif. The 8-lane center and 15,000-sq.-ft. restaurant opened in December in the Westfield North County mall. Bowling was a part of Escondido for 50 years until the 38-bed Palomar Lanes went out of business in July 2002.

***The Golobic family of Serra Bowl in Daly City, along with the dedicated bowlers, staff and manager, Mike Leong, renewed their Holiday Turkey Shoot tradition to help feed the homeless and the hungry. A total of 1202 turkeys were donated to the North Peninsula Food Bank and St. Anthony's Dining Room.

***Help raise funds to create a new exhibit planned to showcase the female legends of the game at the International Bowling Museum and Hall of Fame. Receive a FREE 7" or 8" Loud & Proud Sport Wristband when you donate \$30 or more to support "50 Years of Women's Pro Bowling." Make checks payable to: International Bowling Museum and Hall of Fame, Mail to: Joan Romeo, 6544 Gloria Ave., Van Nuys, CA 91406.

***A new "world tour"? That's what the World Tenpin Bowling Association is billing its new World Bowling Tour as. It features the following events: The Brunswick Ballmaster Open in Finland, the

Brunswick Euro Challenge in France, the Kuwait Open, the USBC Masters in Reno, and a new tournament in Thailand organized by the WTBA. The tour is being cobbled together "to elevate bowling's stature around the world," according to the promoters. A points list will determine the players who will share in a year-end prize pool.

***The CUSBC Tournament Committee has announced that the entry deadline is being extended to February 15 for the California Women's and Open Tournaments. Entry forms and complete rules are available on the CUSBC Website at calusbc.com.

***For a number of years, Mel's Redwood Bowl in Redwood City, Calif., hosted a stop on the PBA Tour. In its current incarnation, it is known as Redwood Lanes Bowling Center, and operated by AMF. But its days could be numbered. A developer — reportedly under contract to buy the land on which the center sits — would like to replace the venerable Redwood with a 143-unit apartment complex.

***Meanwhile, about 15 minutes away from Redwood Bowl sits Palo Alto Bowl, another center threatened by re-development. A mixed-use development, including a hotel and 26 condos, is planned for that site. The good news? The owners recently agreed to a four-year lease extension with Palo Alto operators. The bad news? Leases can be broken. The reality, according to one local official, is that the center's doors remain open primarily because of the poor economy. Once builders start building again, Palo Alto Bowl could be on the short list for demolition.

***Donna Zimmerman, a United States Bowling Congress Hall of Famer in the Superior Performance category, passed away Dec. 23, 2010 in Thousand Palms, Calif. She was 77. She was inducted into the WIBC Hall of Fame in 1982 and is a member of the California WBA, Southern California Bowling Writers, Tri-County, Ohio, and Summit County, Ohio, Halls of Fame.

CBW Continues Phone Card Effort for the Troops Raising \$7406.00 for 2010

The California Bowling Writers 7th year of their **Phone Cards for the Troops Charity** is enjoying the expansion of interest in their efforts for 2010. As of December 31 we have collected \$7406.00, enough to purchase more than 500 AT&T International Phone Cards good for 300 minutes each.

This year, we are pleased to be able to send cards DIRECTLY to troops designated by our "Bowling Family". We have received requests to send cards to a couple dozen friends or family members of our CBW members.

Donations have been received from the following kind folks, since our last newsletter: 10th Annual Marjane Viat Tournament; AMF Mardi Gras Lanes Bowlers; Bette Addington, in memory of Robert Brown; Ruth Beigle; Birdcage Seniors; Cambrian Bowl, Evie Ballard; Camellia City 500 Club; Ramona Clark; Classic Bowl, Andrea Adamson; Bill Del Palacio; Donna Dillard; Jae Etcheverry; Jayne Faris, in memory of MSgt. James

Faris; Seeko Faris, in memory of MSGT James Faris, USAF, Ret.; Seeko Faris, in memory of Bruce Lee, USAF Ret.; Ida Francis; Jan Hogue; Carol Hansen; Mary Householder; Jack's Ringers League; Phyl Knoll; John & Brenda Lynly; Mary Lynly, in memory of Jim and Paul Lynly; Jim & Tina Martin; Nancy McCall; Eugene McCown; Sharon Millione; Nickie Pemberton; Lydia Rypcinski; Betty Schlegel; The Roaring 90's Scratch Doubles; Leslie & Robert Spears; Fran Thompson; Ventura USBC Women's Bowling Association. Sincere thanks to all who donated in 2010.

Phone cards will be sent from the YMCA staff at the 29 Palms Marine and Naval deployment base and the Armed Forces Aid Campaign—TREA Memorial Foundation. The cards go into care packages which are put together by volunteers in early January and sent to the troops in time for Valentines Day. Each phone card includes a custom made Valentine Card with a special message from CBW.

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PBA Names Press Room in Honor of Hall of Famer Chuck Pezzano

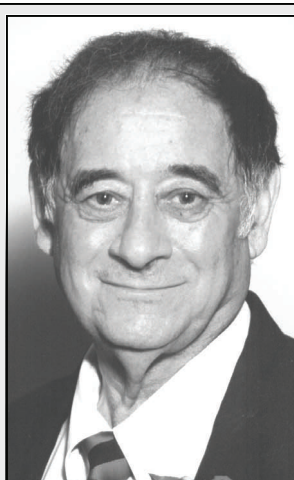
Since the formation of the Professional Bowlers Association in 1958, no one has contributed more to the organization in so many different ways than PBA Hall of Famer Chuck Pezzano.

In recognition of the 81-year-old Clifton, N.J., native's contributions to the PBA, his name will be permanently attached to the organization beginning with the introduction of the Chuck Pezzano PBA Press Room during the PBA Tournament of Champions at Red Rock Lanes in Las Vegas, Jan. 15-22. The Chuck Pezzano PBA Press Room also will welcome the news media at all future Lumber Liquidators PBA Tour events and it will have a permanent home on pba.com for all news media visitors who visit the PBA's official website.

"I think it's a pretty nice honor," Pezzano said. "It came as a complete surprise."

Pezzano first became involved with the PBA as a top-flight competitor and charter member; he was the first collegiate bowler in the United States to bowl an 800 series. But his legacy off the lanes far surpassed his credentials as a player as he evolved into the most prolific bowling writer in history.

His weekly bowling column has been published in The Record in Hackensack, N.J., every week for more than 50 years. He has written stories for every leading bowling publication in the



**PBA Hall of Famer
Chuck Pezzano**

country. He has written books, worked as a consultant on television, movie and instructional videos, and traveled the country serving as an emcee and guest speaker at hundreds of bowling functions. And to this day, his nationally-syndicated columns appear in bowling publications across America.

Pezzano and fellow New Jersey entrepreneur Frank Esposito – who together created the PBA Regional program – were the first Meritorious Service inductees in the inaugural PBA Hall of Fame class in 1975. He was elected to the American Bowling Congress Hall of Fame in 1982, and was recipient of the Bowling Writers Association of America's Luby Hall of Fame Award in 1974. That's just a small sampling of the awards he has won.

"Unveiling the press room for the Tournament of Champions honors all of the writers of the past who appreciated the greatness of what I always called the Firestone," Pezzano said. "(The Tournament of Champions, sponsored by Firestone for 29 years) was far above the other events. From a writer's viewpoint, it provided everything you needed, and that's why it has been the best event in history from the start. "I would never have thought about an honor like this," he added, "but it ranks right up there with any honor I've ever won."

CBW Unveils Details for the 2011 Writing Contest in Memory of Marijane Viat

The CBW Profile and Golden Quill awards have been rolled into one contest. The 2011 Writing Award Contest, sponsored by



Bowler's Journal International is named in honor of CBW Charter President, Marijane Viat, who led the organization from inception in 1998 until she passed away in 2001.

News, Editorial, Event Coverage, Profile or Feature

Stories will be judged in the same category and entries are limited to two articles per member. Your article must be published by March 31, so you still have time to write that award winning story, if you haven't already!

The application to submit with your story is available on page six (6) of this InfoLink.

Ballard, Gianotti, Webb Elected to USBC Hall of Fame

Del Ballard Jr., Wayne Webb and Carol Gianotti have been elected to the United States Bowling Congress Hall of Fame in the Superior Performance category.

They join Jeff Richgels (Outstanding USBC Performance), Roseann Kuhn (Meritorious Service) and Cheryl Robinson (Veterans), who were elected in November by the USBC Hall of Fame Committee. The induction ceremony for the 2011 class will be July 1 at the Gaylord Texan Resort and Convention Center in Grapevine, Texas.

Ballard, 47, of Keller, Texas, won 13 Professional Bowlers Association Tour titles between 1987 and 1993, including the USBC Masters in and the Firestone Tournament of Champions in . He was No. 29 on the list of the 50 Greatest Players in PBA History.

Gianotti, 43, of Perth, Australia, won 16 Ladies Pro Bowlers Tour/ Professional Women's Bowling Association titles between 1989 and 2000, including the 1989 USBC Queens. She teamed with Ann

Maree Putney to take the silver medal in doubles at the 2009 World Tenpin Bowling Association World Women's Championships.

Webb, 53, of Columbus, Ohio, won 20 PBA Tour titles from 1978-1997, including the Firestone Tournament of Champions in 1980. He is among the 50 Greatest Players in PBA History and was elected to the PBA Hall of Fame in 1993.

A USBC panel of veteran bowling writers, hall of famers and board members vote on USBC Hall of Fame nominees. This year's ballot also included David Husted, Milwaukie, Ore.; Amleto Monacelli, Barquisimeto, Venezuela; David Ozio, Beaumont, Texas; Tom Baker, King, N.C.; and Dede Davidson, Buellton, Calif.

The USBC Hall of Fame was created in 2005 by merging the former ABC and WIBC Halls of Fame. With the six new inductees, there will be 385 members of the USBC Hall of Fame - 254 in Performance, 112 in Meritorious Service and 19 Pioneers.

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